IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA ATLANTA DIVISION

DONNA CURLING, et al.,	
Plaintiffs,	CA No. 1:17cv02989-AT
v.)	
BRIAN KEMP, et al.,	
Defendants.	

STATE DEFENDANTS' MOTION TO DISMISS PLAINTIFFS' AMENDED COMPLAINT

Come Now the State Election Board ("SEB"), Secretary of State and Chair of the SEB Brian P. Kemp, members of the SEB David J. Worley, Rebecca N. Sullivan, Ralph F. Simpson, and Seth Harp, and Merle King (hereafter "State Defendants") through counsel, and hereby move to dismiss all claims against the State Defendants in Plaintiffs' Amended Complaint. The State Defendants move for dismissal of all claims pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. Proc. 12(b)(1) and 12(b)(6).

The basis for the motion is more fully set forth in the accompanying Brief in Support of Motion to Dismiss.

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